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**LOCAL AND PERSONAL.**  
P. O'Halloran and the Smyth boys from Castleton were in the city Monday, getting ready for spring.

Lawrence Meece, another Philippine soldier is now sick in the hospital and will start home soon, unfit for service.

Will Crow of South Hutchinson has gone to Lakin to take care the skimming station at that place for the Parker Creamery Co.

Blatch Eisiminger has bought the Red Front livery barn behind the Midland hotel and took charge Monday. We wish him success in this new venture.

Court convened Tuesday and fixed the docket. There are some two hundred cases this term but none apparently that will be very exciting, although there are probably twenty-five or thirty criminal cases, mostly liquor cases.

Holladay's band minstrels cleared in the neighborhood of \$300.00 in their shows here and at Newton last week. Their patronage at both places was all that could be asked; but their expenses were quite heavy, which reduced their net earnings.

Mr. A. J. Gillock from near Nickerson was a caller at this office Tuesday. Mr. Gillock is just moving to Deerfield, Kansas, in the west side of Finny county, to have more room for his stock. He is one of the substantial farmers of his neighborhood and we regret to lose him from the county.

Three or four more cases of smallpox were quarantined Monday at the home of a Mr. R. Metcalf, painter on B. East. The disease is of course very mild now in this warm weather but is for that reason all the more in danger of spreading and remaining with us until next winter when it may do serious damage.

The time is here when in the city the chicken roost, the pig pen, and the festive hen are the principal topics of conversation between the city police, and the citizens of the "rubarbs." "Dogs" will come in later and add to the woes of the police and the children who have pets.

Considering that Newton and Hutchinson are in many respects rival cities, there is a very remarkable good feeling between them. The band boys from here were favorites there last fall at the festival and carnival, and their minstrels were received with exceptional cordiality last week.

The reformatory board was in session last week and a couple of new inmates were registered. One from Clay Center and the other from McPherson. Men convicted over the State for the reformatory or penitentiary have been enjoying a good interval in the county jail. Those institutions having been closed on account of small pox for some time.

The Parker Creamery Co. has recently established skimming stations at Deer Creek, Okla. and Ost in Sumner township, Reno county. They now have forty-five skimming stations gathering cream for the big plant here. This is an increase of eleven during the last year. During the year 1899 they paid out \$255,632.06. This year they will do better than that.

The Northwest Territory Normal school of Oklahoma wants to send a mixed chorus to the jubilee in this city this year. Professor Snowden of that institution has written Mr. Hoagland secretary of the jubilee, concerning the matter. The board will probably take action on the question of admitting Oklahoma musicians to the jubilee, which has never been done and can not be done under the present rules.

The sale of the H. & S. depot to the Missouri Pacific Railroad Co. is now an assured fact as the deed has been recorded. The deed also covers the round house, but what the Missouri Pacific will do with it is not known as they seem to have no use for it here and it is feared they may tear it down and ship the brick elsewhere. The right of way up to the new depot has not yet been secured and may be a somewhat troublesome matter.

**For Sale.**  
Twenty-three head good heifers, also some cows.  
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**Election.**  
The election yesterday passed off quietly. It was by all odds the most exciting contest in city politics for a number of years. The issue of "law and order" was pretty closely drawn and the result was close. However in substantial results the "wets" won as they elected the one officer who has most to do with it, the city marshal. It appears that they are defeated for councilmen in all the wards where the issue was drawn but one, the third. This will leave the city in practically the same condition as last year except that the "dry" sentiment on the council will be stronger. Should they use their authority they might at least harass the rest of the administration considerably, but will not do it. Hern for city marshal seems to have been defeated by seventy. This was a much better rate than we expected to see him get. He is a democrat or a populist. There are a great many "good citizens" republicans who are very anxious to reform the world and Hutchinson but would rather the old thing would go to a very torrid climate on a toboggan slide than to see it reformed by a democrat or populist. While there were enough of those people to defeat Hern there were apparently not as many of them as we thought.

City Clerk—Harry Holaday 1738.  
Marshal—Hedden 1223; Hern 1146.  
City Attorney—Lewis 1941; Clymer 952.  
Street commissioner—Hoagland 749; Carpenter 623; Parker 653; Reed 306.  
Assessor—Raff 1196; Christopher 539.  
Councilman—1st Ward: Davis 224; Kirkpatrick 228. 2d Ward: H. S. Schlaudt 294. 3d Ward: Wilson 162; Caldwell 100. 4th Ward: Schall 171; Carey 173. 5th Ward: McDermid 160; Vaughan 196. 6th Ward: Shunk 252.  
For a levy of \$1 mill for establishing a city library 894; against 342.

**Married in a Bank.**  
A peculiar wedding occurred in this city one day last week. An elderly couple from the south part of the county dropped into the exchange bank. The man was an old bachelor and a customer of the bank and in course of conversation mentioned the fact that they would like to be made one, and wished to keep it a secret for a while. So they were invited into the private office and the propate judge was sent for. He shortly appeared and while customers were drawing checks, the knot was tied.

**A Prodigal Girl.**  
Anna Hall, a young girl who has made much grief for her mother and considerable trouble for the officers was in the city last week. She was here last fall, and by her queer actions aroused considerable comment. She would hire out to do house work, then would disappear. Her mother came here from Raymond to look for her and it was found she had left and gone to a town in an adjoining county west. She was finally found, but her mother could not keep her at home. She acts very queer and certainly does not know what is for her own good. Friday it was discovered that she was in town and staying with a colored woman. She was taken away by the marshal who bought her a ticket to her home, but she declared she would not stay there. She claims to be fifteen years old but she looks younger. Her mind appears shattered, but she is from a very estimable family.

**Goodell-Jones Nuptials.**  
At the home of the bride, in Clay township, Miss Grace Goodell and Orla G. Jones were united in marriage at 12:00, March 31. Rev. D. Y. Donaldson, pastor of the Christian church of Hutchinson, with a few chosen words, performed, in a very eloquent and impressive manner, the ceremony which united the contracting parties for life, after which the guests were invited to the dining room where they enjoyed a bounteous dinner. The bride wore a beautiful white marseine de soie dress with corsage and hair bouquets of the Bride and Marchal Neel roses. The groom was dressed in conventional black. The guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Kline, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. Blackwell, Mr. and Mrs. W. DeWater, Mr. and Mrs. Collins, Misses Christie and Minnie Klein, Viola Commers, Mollie Neel, Minnie Fowler, Messrs Frank Klein, George Gillman, W. Kerr and Walter Splain. Many beautiful and valuable presents were presented by the guests and relatives who could not be present.

The bride has a great circle of friends to wish her future happiness. Mr. Jones is one of Reno county's most progressive teachers. Mr. and Mrs. Jones in a few weeks go to Moline Michigan where they will make their future home and will carry with them the best wishes of many friends.

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The doctors of the Chicago Dispensary Medical Association, who are experts in the treatment of chronic, nervous and private diseases of both sexes will be in Hutchinson, Saturday, April 7, (one day only.) Office at Hotel Brunswick. Terms for treatment: No pay until cured. Consultation and advice free.

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**Another Telephone Company.**  
Some weeks ago, the McPherson Telephone company applied for a franchise to put a telephone system in this city. Now another from Fort Scott is on the scene and wants in. Some years ago we understood that others wanted to put in a telephone system but was refused a franchise by the city council although they promised rates very much lower than those now in force. What the council will do with these propositions we cannot say but doubt if a franchise is granted to any line that is in danger of furnishing competition. The telephone company doing business here now has made phenomenal growth, and is no doubt making an exorbitant profit on money invested. To let in other companies might furnish competition at least on the start and cause some reduction, until they could pool and adjust rates. This city is large enough to own its own telephone system and if the profit that is now made from long distance talking should be diverted into the city treasury it might tend to stop some of this howl about shortage of revenue.

**The Best in the World.**  
We believe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the best in the world. A few weeks ago we suffered with a severe cold and a troublesome cough, and having read their advertisement in our own and other papers we purchased a bottle to see if it would effect us. It cured us before the bottle was half used. It is the best medicine out for colds and coughs.—The Herald, Andersonville Ind. For sale by all druggists.

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**Shirting Twills.** Black hide twills and monarch blues; the 12c sort; our price - 10c.  
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